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                   UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
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                   EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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                            FRESNO DIVISION
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   In the Matter of
                                    Case No. 13-15262-B-7
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                                    Chapter 7
   JACOB ERIC KIRBY,
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                  Debtor(s).
                                    Date:
                                           February 26, 2014
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                                           10:00 a.m.
                                    Time:
                                    Dept.: B, Courtroom 12, Fresno
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                                    Honorable W. Richard Lee
                  MOTION TO SELL PERSONAL PROPERTY
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        Trudi G. Manfredo, Chapter 7 Trustee of the above-referenced
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   bankruptcy estate ("Trustee") of JACOB ERIC KIRBY ("Debtor"), brings
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   this Motion to Sell Personal Property and respectfully represents as
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  follows:
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             Trustee is the duly appointed, qualified and acting Trustee
   of the above-referenced bankruptcy estate.
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        2.
             Debtor filed under Chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code on July
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   31, 2013, and an order for relief was entered.
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             This Court has jurisdiction over this proceeding under 28
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   U.S.C. §1334(a).
                       This is a core proceeding under 28 U.S.C.
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   $157 (b) (2) (A). This motion is brought pursuant to 11 U.S.C. $363.
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1 Venue is proper in this Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1409(a) by 2 virtue of the pendency of this case before the Court.

- 4. Among the assets of this bankruptcy estate is a 1998 Dodge Ram, valued at \$500.00, a 1996 Ford F350, valued at \$500.00, a 1973 Ford Bronco, valued at \$250.00, a 1993 Harley Davidson valued at \$2,000.00, and a 2006 Yamaha Motorcycle valued at \$1,000.00 ("Personal Property").
- 5. Trustee has received and accepted an offer from the Debtor to purchase the Personal Property for a net to the estate of \$3,250.00 as follows: the 1998 Dodge Ram for \$310.00, the 1996 Ford F350 for \$310.00, the 1973 Ford Bronco for \$155.00, the 1993 Harley Davidson for \$1,545.00 and the 2006 Yamaha Motorcycle for \$930.00.
- 6. Trustee believes that this is a fair and equitable price for the Personal Property. Trustee believes the combined value of the personal property is \$4,250.00. If the Trustee were to auction the Personal Property at that value, after paying 15% commission of \$637.50 and costs to haul, store and repair all 5 vehicles in the amount of \$500.00, approximately \$3,112.50 would be generated to the bankruptcy estate. Debtor has paid and Trustee is currently holding \$3,250.00 for the Personal Property.
- 7. The price to be received at auction is never certain, and the delay involved in auctioning these assets is not warranted.
- 8. There will be no adverse tax consequences to the estate as a result of the sale.
- 9. Based on her business judgment, Trustee believes that the sale of the above-described Personal Property is in the best interest of the creditors of this estate and all parties in interest.
  - 10. Trustee requests that the provisions of Bankruptcy Rule

 $1 \parallel 6004 \text{ (h)}$  be waived. WHEREFORE, Trustee prays 2 3 That the Motion be granted; 2. That the Court issue an order authorizing the Trustee to 4 sell the Estate's interest in the personal property back to the 5 6 Debtor as follows: the 1998 Dodge Ram, VIN 3B7HF13ZXWG174065, for \$310.00, the 1996 Ford F350, VIN 2FTHF36F4TCA42408, for \$310.00, the 7 1973 Ford Bronco, VIN U15GLR57370, for \$155.00, the 1993 Harley 8 Davidson, VIN 1HD1BJL52PYU33085, for \$1,545.00 and the 2006 Yamaha Motorcycle, VIN JYACJ10C26A002874, for \$930.00; 11 3. That the provisions of Bankruptcy Rule 6004(h) be waived; 12 and 13 For such other and further relief as the Court deems just 14 and proper. 15 DATED: 1-14-14 16 By <u>/s/ Trudi G</u>. Manfredo 17 TRUDI G. MANFREDO, 18 Chapter 7 Trustee 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28